Low Income Guidelines for Rhode Island

United States Department of Health and Human Services (Federal Fiscal Year) FFY 2008 Oct. 1, 2007 – Sept. 30, 2008

RI	Family	R.I.	60% of	75% of
Family	Size	Median	Median	Median
<u>Size</u>	Adjustment	Income ¹	<u>Income</u>	<u>Income</u>

			Households Eligible for LIHEAP Assistance (A utility customer is eligible for LIHEAP assistance if their gross household income is at or below 60% Rhode Island's median income level based on family size)	"Protected Status" Customers (Pursuant to the PUC regulations, a utility customer is eligible for a longer term payment plan and a reduced down payment by being in a Protected Status whose gross household income is at or below 75% of Rhode Island's medium income level based on family size.)
1	52%	\$40,714	\$24,428	\$30,536
2	68%	\$53,242	\$31,945	\$39,932
3	84%	\$65,769	\$39,461	\$49,327
4	100%	\$78,297	\$46,978	\$58,723
5	116%	\$90,825	\$54,495	\$68,118
6	132%	\$103,352	\$62,011	\$77,514

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¹ Medium income by family size is determined annually for each state by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.